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In re Application of  
Goelet, P. et al.

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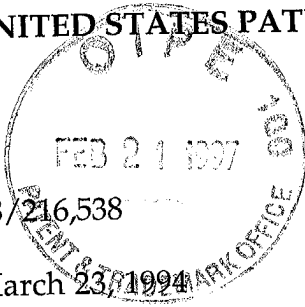
March 23, 1994

For: **SINGLE NUCLEOTIDE  
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Group Art Unit: 1807

Examiner: B. Sisson

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner  
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The following are enclosed for consideration in the above-identified application:

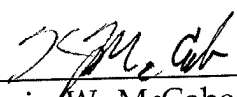
1. Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
2. Response to Official Final Office Action of December 17, 1996

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RESPONSE

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In Response to the Official Final Office Action of December 17, 1996, issued with respect to the above-described patent application, Applicants herewith submit the following Amendments and Remarks.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, line 19, please replace the phrase "filed November 3, 1993" with the phrase -- filed November 3, 1993 and abandoned January 11, 1996 --.

On page 15, line 17, please replace the phrase "WO 92/15712, herein incorporated by reference" with the phrase -- WO92/15712 --.

On page 33, lines 22-26, please replace the phrase "WO 92/15712, herein incorporated by reference" with the phrase -- WO92/15712 --.

On page 51, line 17, please replace the phrase "U.S. patent application serial no. 08/005,061" with the phrase --U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/005,061 (abandoned June 24, 1994)--

On page 62, line 21, please insert the following:

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